

Proposed Bill No. 6179

January Session, 2015

LCO No. **1574**

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

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AN ACT PERMITTING A DEFENDANT TO RECOVER LITIGATION COSTS WHEN AN OFFER OF COMPROMISE IS REJECTED BY THE PLAINTIFF.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That subsection (b) of section 52-195 of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to provide that a defendant may recover certain litigation
- 3 costs when an advantageous offer of compromise is rejected by a
- 4 plaintiff.

Statement of Purpose:

To encourage settlement of civil actions.

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